

Help Your Students Get Their High School Equivalency Diploma By Taking the GED or HiSET Test



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HSE Options in Oklahoma

In the state of Oklahoma, there are two tests that can be taken to attain a high school equivalency diploma.

Since 2014, an eligible individual can take the GED test and the HiSET test.

Those who pass one of the two approved tests will receive the state's official high school equivalency diploma, a credential issued by the Oklahoma Department of Education.



Eligibility Requirements

In order to take the GED or HiSET test, you must meet these criteria:

- You must be at least 16 years old.
- You must not have a high school diploma or be enrolled in high school.

NOTE: You do not have to be a resident of Oklahoma to take the HiSET or GED in Oklahoma.

16 / 17 Year Old Form

RELEASE FORM FOR 16- AND 17-YEAR-OLD STUDENTS For Adult Education Enrollment and/or High School Equivalency (HSE) Testing

Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education
Lifelong Learning Division

1. APPLICANT'S NAME: _____ TODAY'S DATE: _____
2. APPLICANT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: ____-____-____
3. APPLICANT'S DATE OF BIRTH: _____
4. LAST SCHOOL ATTENDED (include school site, district and state): _____
5. IN WHAT MONTH/YEAR DID YOU LAST ATTEND SCHOOL? _____
6. LAST GRADE COMPLETED: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PARENT/GUARDIAN:

I hereby affirm that I am the (circle one) PARENT GUARDIAN

of the above listed applicant, who is a legal resident of the _____
School District and that I agree that it is in her/her best interest to attend adult education classes and/or to take the
High School Equivalency (HSE) tests.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY A SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR:

The Administration of the _____ School District is in concurrence with the above
statement and certifies that the above listed applicant is not currently enrolled in school.

Signature of Principal or Superintendent _____

Subscribed and sworn to me this _____ day of _____, _____.

Notary Public Signature

My commission expires on the _____ day of _____, _____.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CHIEF EXAMINER OR ADULT LEARNING CENTER (ALC) DIRECTOR:

I approve the above listed candidate for adult education classes and /or High School Equivalency (HSE) Testing.
Name of Chief Examiner or ALC Director _____ Signature _____

Name of High School Equivalency (HSE) Candidate's Testing Site

K-12 Dropout Report

A student is considered a dropout if they leave K-12 to pursue their High School Equivalency (HSE) (e.g. GED or HiSET).

HOWEVER, if a student earns their HSE within the dropout reporting period, by Sept. 30, the student would not be considered a dropout.

HSE Comparison

GED

- Test Format: Computer-Based
- Cost: \$136 Full Battery
- Receipt of Scores: Online scores returned within 24 hours of completing each module.
- Free practice test available.
- GED Ready practice test(s)

HiSET

- Test Format: Paper / Computer-Based
- Cost: \$122.50 Full Battery for Paper Based
\$101.25 Full Battery for Computer Based
- Receipt of Scores: On average, official scores are available within 3-5 business days for multiple choice tests and 6–10 business days for essay tests. Immediate, unofficial scores for computer delivered tests are displayed at the test center upon completion.
- Free practice test available.

Take Your Test From Home

GED

- Cost of the exam: \$160 (Total Cost Including GED Ready = \$187.96)
- You are required to take the GED Ready practice test before taking the official GED test online. \$6.99 per subject area.
- Available 24 hours a day.

HiSET

- Cost of the exam: \$141.25
- No practice test required.
- Available from 3:00 am to 6:00 pm.

Retest Policy

GED Retest Policy

For those testing in-person at a Testing Center:

- In Oklahoma, there is no waiting period for your first two retakes. After taking a test subject 3 times, you'll have to wait 60 days before retesting. There's no limit to how many times you can test in a year.

For those testing on the Online Exam:

- The Online Proctored Exam allows for one retake before a 60 day waiting period. After taking a test subject two times online, you'll have to wait 60 days before retesting.

HiSET Retest Policy

- You have the opportunity to take the HiSET exam three times during a calendar year.
- You may retest after a fifteen (15)-day waiting period.

HSE Subject Areas

GED

Language Arts

Math

Social Studies

Science

HISET

Language Arts – Reading

Language Arts – Writing

Math

Social Studies

Science

Testing Locations and Services

ADULT EDUCATION SITES

32 Adult Education and Family Literacy (AEFL) providers across the state.

- K-12
- Career Tech
- 2 Year State Colleges
- 4 Year Universities
- Non Profit Organizations
- Department of Corrections (17 DOC Providers)

*100+ Sites

SERVICES PROVIDED

- High School Equivalency preparation classes
- English as a Second Language (ESL)
- Correctional / Institutional Education
- English Literacy and Civics Education (EL/Civics)

SDE Diploma Option

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- Any Oklahoma Resident who has been admitted to any accredited Oklahoma college or university within Oklahoma may be awarded a high school diploma by the State Department of Education, provided that such person has successfully completed at least thirty (30) hours of college work at an accredited college or university. The application to apply for this is found at <https://sde.ok.gov/sites/default/files/documents/files/Application%20for%20OK%20HS%20Diplo%20ma.pdf>



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